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REMARKS

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I. Soviet Zone of Germany

1. Group of Occupation Forces Germany (GOFG)

a. Last observation dates of motor vehicle

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Command Section of the GOFG: late September 1949

Hq of Chief Rear Services and other Hqs: late September 1949

Hq of IV Arty Corps: mid-September 1949

Arty Unit in RATHENOW-BRANDENBURG: mid-September 1949

Arty Unit in POTSDAM: mid-September 1949

Arty Unit in JUTERBOG-LOCKENWALDE: late September 1949

Arty Unit in MAGDEBURG-BURG: early September 1949

AAA Unit in POTSDAM-BRANDENBURG: mid-September 1949

AAA Unit in PUSCHTALWALDE: late September 1949

Engineer Unit in POTSDAM-NEDLITZ: late September 1949.

b. Maneuvers:

motor vehicle of the two artillery units from 50X1-HUM

RATHENOW-BRANDENBURG and MAGDEBURG-BURG were observed at the RATHENOW troop training grounds, and motor vehicle

of the artillery unit from JUTERBOG-LOCKENWALDE 50X1-HUM

in the JUTERBOG-MARKENDORF training area in August 1949.

The PUSCHTALWALDE antiaircraft artillery unit was at the Letzling death in August and early September 1949.

2. Eighth S.S. Army

a. Last observation dates of motor vehicle

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Army Hq:	late September 1949
220th Hvy Tank Bn Regt:	early September 1949
33th Arty Brig:	mid-September 1949
43rd Gds Gun Arty Brig:	mid-September 1949
13th AAA Div:	late September 1949
Hq of XXVIII Gds Mtz Rifle Corps:	mid-September 1949
39th Gds Mtz Rifle Div:	mid-September 1949
20th Gds Mecz Div:	mid-September 1949
Hq of XXIA Gds Mtz Rifle Corps:	early September 1949
57th Gds Mtz Rifle Div:	late September 1949
21st Gds Mecz Div:	late September 1949.

b. Maneuvers.

Motor vehicle [] of all eighth Gds Army units were observed in the CHADORE and KIBOUL areas in August and September 1949. Besides the 13th AAA Div, small anti-aircraft artillery units of all mechanized and rifle divisions of the army also held exercises in the MUD-ANG-SHON-SON area in August 1949. The 43rd Gds Gun Arty Brig is believed to have returned to its military post from maneuvers in early September 1949, and the 13th AAA Div in mid-September 1949.

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5. Third Shock Army

a. Last observation dates of motor vehicle []

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Army Hq:	late September 1949
3rd Gds AAA Div:	late September 1949
Army Hq Units:	late September 1949
Hq of LXIX Mtz Rifle Corps:	mid-September 1949
207th Mtz Rifle Div:	late September 1949
19th Gds Mecz Div:	mid-September 1949
Hq of I Mtz Rifle Corps:	late September 1949
94th Gds Mtz Rifle Div:	mid-September 1949
10th Mecz Rifle Div:	late September 1949.

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4. First Gds Mecz Army



a. Last observation dates of motor vehicle

- Army Hq: mid-September 1949
- 4th Gds AAA Div: mid-September 1949
- Army Hq units: mid-September 1949
- MVD Regt: mid-September 1949
- 8th Gds Mecz Div: mid-September 1949
- 9th Tank Div: mid-September 1949
- 11th Gds Tank Div: mid-September 1949.

b. Maneuvers

The army, with its two tank divisions and the mechanized division, was at the KOSKIFSBK troop training grounds in August and early September 1949. Component units of the 8th/Mecz Div were also identified in the KOSKIFSBK area, while the 4th Gds AAA Div was located in the KOSKIFSBK area.

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5. Second Gds Mecz Army

a. Last observation dates of motor vehicle



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- Army Hq: late September 1949
- ?No. AAA Div: late September 1949
- Army Hq units: late September 1949
- 9th Gds Tank Div: early September 1949
- 12th Gds Tank Div: early September 1949
- 1st Mecz Div: late September 1949.

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b. Manoeuvres

The ?No. AAA Div and small component units of the two tank divisions were identified at Letzling Meath in August 1949. Motor vehicle [Redacted] of the 9th Gds Tank Div, the 12th Gds Tank Div (artillery) and the 1st Lecz Div were sporadically observed in the JUSTERBOG area in July and August 1949. 50X1-HUM

6. Third Gds Lecz Army (Cadre)

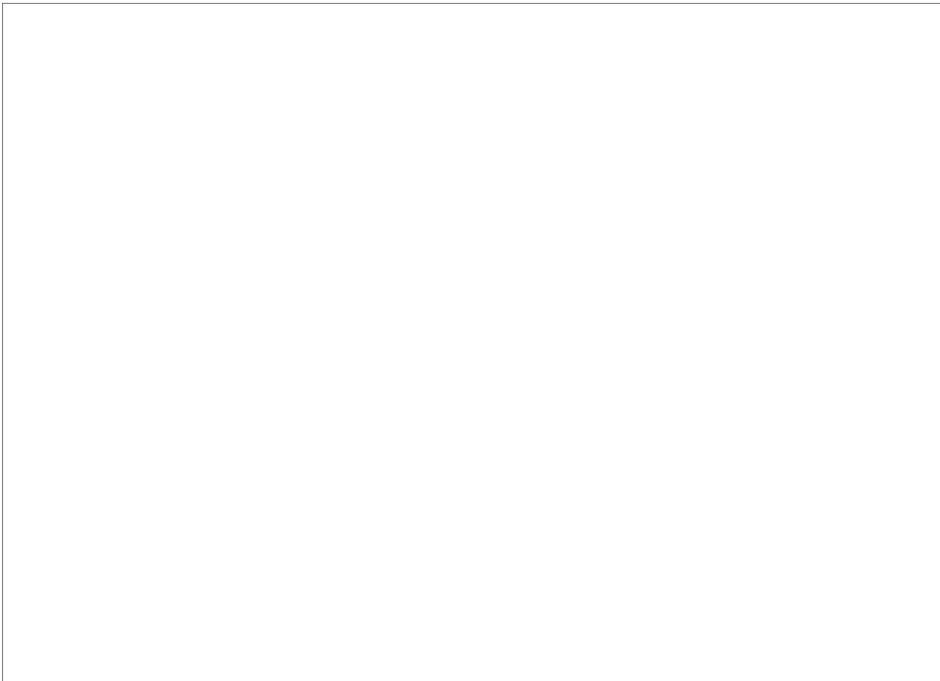
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- Army Hq: mid-September 1949
- Army Hq units: late-September 1949
- ?No. AAA Div (Cadre): late September 1949
- 6th Gds Tank Div (Cadre): late September 1949
- 7th Gds Tank Div (Cadre): late September 1949
- 9th Lecz Div (Cadre): mid-September 1949
- 14th Gds Lecz Div (Cadre): late September 1949.

b. Manoeuvres.

Motor vehicle [Redacted] of all tank and mechanized divisions (cadre) were observed in the JUSTERBOG-MARKENJOOP training area in August and early September 1949. Motor vehicle [Redacted] of the 9th Lecz Div (Cadre) were also observed in the area south of WILSOLOOOR end, [Redacted] in the NIEBRORS-JAMMIZ area in August 1949. 50X1-HUM

Motor vehicle [Redacted] of the 6th Gds Tank Div (Cadre) were also occasionally seen in the FARMER training area and in FROEWALK in August 1949. Motor vehicle [Redacted] of the ?No. AAA Div (Cadre), the 7th Gds Tank Div (Cadre) and the 14th Gds Lecz Div (Cadre) were also reported from the Letzling Meath in August 1949. 50X1-HUM



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7. Fourth Gds Mecz Army (Jadre)



a. Last observation dates of motor vehicle

- Army Hq: late September 1949
- Army Hq units: late September 1949
- 6th Gds Mecz Div (Jadre): late September 1949
- 7th Gds Mecz Div (Jadre): late September 1949
- 10th Gds Tank Div (Jadre): late September 1949
- 25th Tank Div (Jadre): late September 1949

b. Maneuvers

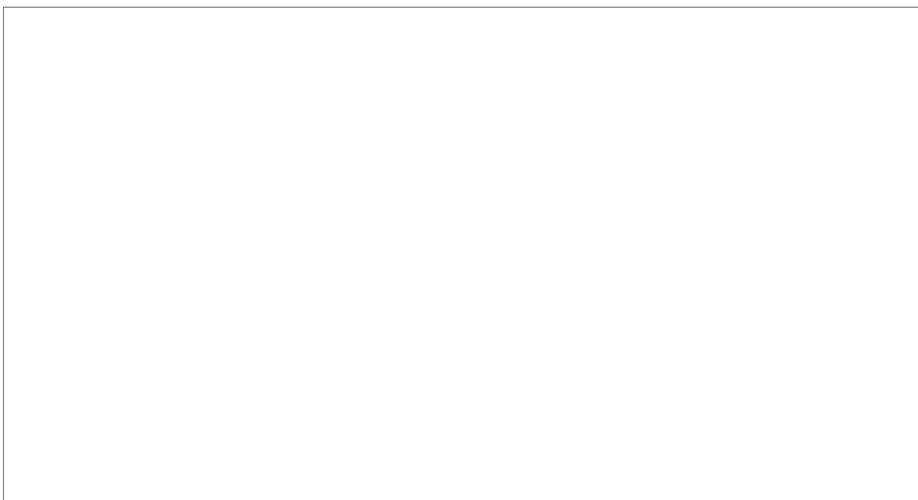
Motor vehicle [redacted] of the 6th Gds Mecz Div (Jadre), the 25th Tank Div (Jadre) and the army Hq units were observed in the [redacted] area in August and early September 1949. Motor vehicles of the 7th Gds Mecz Div (Jadre) and sporadically, [redacted] the 10th Gds Tank Div (Jadre) were seen in the [redacted] training area in August and early September 1949.

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[redacted] motor vehicles of all divisions and the army Hq units were in the same area in August 1949 (?). Small contingents of the 6th Gds Mecz Div (Jadre), the 7th Gds Mecz Div (Jadre) and the 25th Tank Div (Jadre) were observed at the [redacted] meeting in August and early September 1949. Troops of the 7th Gds Mecz Div (Jadre) started leaving for their military posts in mid-September 1949.

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3. Sixteenth Air Army

a. Last observation dates of motor vehicles

HQ of Sixteenth Air Army:	late September 1949
I Air Pz Corps:	late September 1949
III Air Corps:	mid-September 1949
III Air Corps:	late September 1949
11th Air Div:	mid-September 1949 .

b. Maneuvers.

Sixteenth Air Army units participated in the maneuvers in the MUEBROU-JANLIZ area in August and September 1949.

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II. Austria/Hungary

11. Last observation dates of motor vehicle



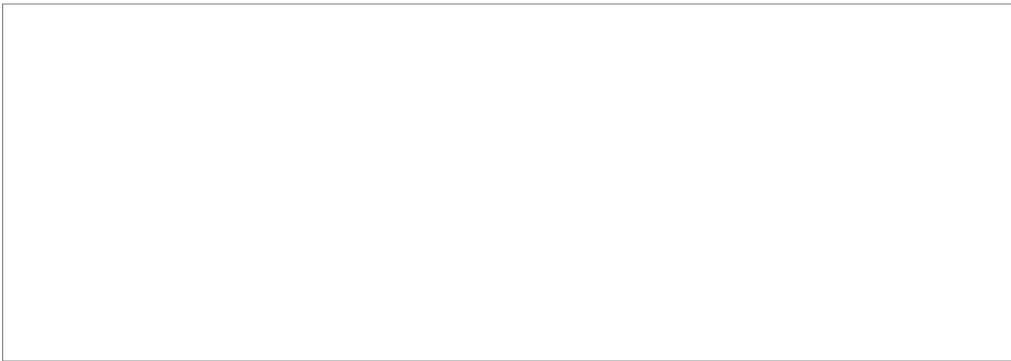
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Hq of Central Group of Forces:	mid-September 1949
Hq units of Central Group of Forces:	mid-September 1949
23rd AAA Div:	late August 1949
13th Gds Mecz Div:	early September 1949
17th Gds Mecz Div:	mid-September 1949
95th Gds Ltz Rifle Div:	mid-September 1949
Hq of Second Air Army:	early September 1949
1st Gds Bar Div:	mid-September 1949
8th Gds Bar Div:	mid-September 1949.
Air unit HANER HOSPADT-TRUSSDORF:	late August 1949
Air Recon Regt VOESLAU:	late August 1949.

12. Maneuvers.

motor vehicle  of the 13th Gds Mecz Div, the 95th Gds Ltz Rifle Div and the Hq units of the Central Group of forces were observed during the maneuvers at the DOAMERSHEIM troop training grounds until late August 1949.

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